DRY-DOCKED FOR REPAIRS

Newport News After Collision

With Burk.

(By Associated Press.)

The Crispin mounts a 4.7-inch gun

HUGHES NAMES COMMITTEE

for Defense and National

Ry Associated Press.

Club, has appointed a "committee on

ambassador to France. Other members are Lyman Abbott, George F. Baker,

Joseph H. Choate, Charles A. Coffin,

George B. Cortelyou, Chauncey M. De-

pew. A. Barton Hepburn, Clarence H.

Mackay, Elihu Root, Theodore N. Vail

FORMING NEW COMPANY

Clans for Infantry or Coast Artillers

Command at Hopewell Presented to Adjutant-General.

Plans for a movement to organize a militia company, either of infantry or of coast artillery, in Hopewell were presented yesterday to Adjutant-General Sale by Leonidas Stone. Mr. Stone told the Adjutant-General that there

was much good material with previous military experience in Hopewell, and

requested permission to form a company. On account of the large per-centage of people of foreign birth in

the population, it is said that a com-

pany of militia is needed for con-stabulary purposes. General Sale said yesterday that he

General Sale said yesterday that he was very much in favor of the proposition. No steps will be taken to organize the company until Governor Stuart gives his approval. It was suggested a year or more ago that Hopewell supply a company to the State militia but the time was

State militia, but the time was not

then regarded as ripe.

and Cornelius Vanderbilt.

NEW YORK, March 9 .- Charles E.

Members of Luinn League Club to

ARGUMENTS IN PROGRESS IN STEEL TRUST SUIT

Twelve Hours Allotted to Be Divided Between Government and Defendant.

TWO JUSTICES NOT SITTING

McReynolds and Brandeis Disqualifled Because of Previous Opinions. Assistant Attorney-General Todd Reviews History of Combination.

WASHINGTON March 9 .- Arguments

vestigations regarding the so-called close touch with "steel trust." Without comment or needs of the country explanation, he left the bench to-day when the case was called. Justice Me Reynolds, while Attorney-General, participated in the Federal prosecution which was begun in 1911, during Pres-

of the industry by which 100 independent units were combined into nine corgan & Co. was the syndicate manager "Immediately afterward prices rose

violently, in some cases double," said eral

Plans of Andrew Carnegic to extend New competition into lines controlled by the so-called Morgan plants were recounted competition between the various combinations was a prime factor in the York. decision to form the holding corporation combining the actual and threatening competitors. GARY'S STATEMENTS

CITED BY MR, TODO Brooklyn. Statements to that effect by Judge Gary, chairman of the corporation, at pital, New York, the House steel investigation, were D. S. Adams, Boston City Hospital, the House steel investigation, were

Mr. Todd argued that the Steel Corporation was "ever-apitalized" at about \$1,200,000,000, and that its stock was mating the value between \$500,000,000 cants for St. Luke's.

when the case was called. It was understood he felt disqualified begause of Kings County opinions he had expressed before his

What bearing has overcanitalization?" asked Justice Holmes. Mr. Todd contended it indicated the intent of the

"You don't claim that overespitalization is itself violation of the Sherman act, but only evidence to show intent?" asked Chief Justice White.

"Yes, to show that the intent was not benevolent," Mr. Todd answered Justice Pitney asked why the govpetitors.

AO BAN ON COMBINATIONS MERETAL FOR SIZE AND POWER posed amendment.

since it was organized. The combination seriously ill from exposure. tion's proportion of trade has declined. but not substantially nor sufficient to

Instated that, in dismissing the government's suit, the New Jersey Federal District Court, of four judges, had found that the combination is not an netual or attempted monopoly.

go-called Gary dinner movement"

President tiany, of the corporation, granted them until March 26 to withduring the stress of the 1997 panie "to draw their pleas. Many of the deprevent its spread over the whole coun- fendants, it was said, came here to-He said the lower court had gether by special train found the price maintenance involved at these dinners was continued too long, but had been discontinued.

Competition between subsidiaries of the corporation before they were merged, Mr. Lindalury asserted, was not extensive. They produced many noncompetitive lines, and much of their production of raw materials was not sold, but was used in manufacturing finished products.

Said to Have Stolen Lend Pinc.

John Henry Gray, colored, was ar-rested early last night on the charge of breaking into the vacant dwelling-house of J. J. Wicker, at 2700 hast Grace Street and stealing a quantity of lead pipe and brase fixtures. The negro was arrested by Patrolmen Duffy and hertucci, and was held in the First District Station for trial this morning in the Police Court.

TWO INDICTED

John A. Kennedy and Edward J. Wiley Accused of Violating "Blue Sky" Law in Staunton.

[S] ceial to The Times-Dispatch | STAUNTON, VA., March 9.—Acting on the suggestion of the State Coron the suggestion of the State Corporation Commission, the grand jury
to-day investigated the promotion
scheme of the Guarantee Bank and
Trust Company, a \$500,000 corporation
started here by John A. Kennedy and
Edward J. Wiley, and the Virginia
Bond and Share Company, selling company for the trust company, and found
two indictments for alleged violation. two indictments for alleged violation of the "blue sky" law. One true bill was against Kennedy and the other against Wiley. Kennedy is held under \$500 bond, and Wiley is out of the city; but his attorney promises his cilent's appearance at once.

Labor to Discuss Part It Is to Play

Executive Council of American Federation Holds Preliminary Conference.

1By Associated Press.1 WASHINGTON, March 9.—The execuve council of the American Federation of Labor, at a special meeting toa general labor conference to deterbegun to-day before the Supreme Court shall take in national preparedness, in the government's suit to dissolve the several hundred representatives of all United States Steel Corporation will be unions affiliated with the federation concluded next Wednesday afternoon, and the four railroad brotherhoods, Twelve hours were allotted to be who have an unofficial working agreedivided between the government and ment with the federation, are expected defendant.

Nothing has been made public as to and McReynolds retired voluntarily, in was thought Samuel Gompers, presiaccordance with the court custom. The dent of the federation, would have one former, it is understood, did so because to suggest. His membership on the of public expressions made before his advisory commission of the Council of appointment in writings and official in. National Defense has brought him in

HOSPITAL APPOINTMENTS

Ten Fourth-Venr Men of University

recounted a series of combinations held in the leading hospitals of the from 1828 to 1900 in various branches East, ten fourth-year medical students porations. All, he said, were grossly appointed as internes in hospitals. overcapitalized, with enormous stock these appointments to take effect at the end of session

ived their appointments Shields McCandish, Philadelphia Gen-

Hospital. M. Griffith, Postgraduate Hospital. W. H. Pott, Postgraduate Hospital.

G. P. McNeill, Postgraduate Hespital, New York. * Taylor Compton, St. Luke's, New B. R. Wellford, Kings County, Brook- Wells;

Green, Jr., German Hos-

exchanged for that of corporations al-ready grossly overcapitalized. Waen Justice Day asked if there was any proof of the actual physical value of properties combined. Mr. Todd cited the Burcau of Corporations' report, esti-manufactures and properties combined of the set of the first two years of his medical service of the manufacture of the manufacture of the set of the first two years of his medical service of the setual physical value of the first two years of his medical service of the manufacture of the set of the kindsomest edifices in the city, situated on a com-manding position in West Washing-ton Street, and has a large and pro-gressive congregation and Sunday school. The pastor is Rev. E. V. Car-

Justice Brandeis excused himself only one to place as many as three students the case was called. It was many that it was many as the control of the case was called. It was many that it was many as the control of the case was called. It was many that was many that it was many that it was many that it was many that was many th

INAUGURAL DAY IN APRIL

Congress Will Be Asked to Pass Constitutional Amendment at Next Session.

at its next session, will be asked to submitted to meeting on Monday pass a constitutional amendment chang- hight ing the inaugural day from March !

New Jersey court decided the Sherman made to-day following a meeting of close to-morrow night. The exhibition had power to completely control committee on the change of inaugurant dustry, and fix and maintain too day. President Wilson, who is prices without co-operation of committee on a severe cold on account week materially interfered with the atsuffering from a severe cold on account tendance. help secure the passage of the pro-

the Sherman law does not prohibit emphasized the necessity for a change," combinations marrly for size and nower said a member of the committee, alone.

Proportionate production by the corporation discussive on inauguration day, and other poration has decreased 10.9 per cent prominent men have died or become

HELD ON \$3,000 EACH

For the defendants, Mr. Lindabury Thirty West Airginin Conf. Operators Not Guilty.

(B) Associated Press 1 NEW YORK, March 2.—Thirty more of the lifty-five West Virginia coal op-"It has not exercised monopolistic erators recently indicted for alleged powers," he said, "and never attempted violation of the Sherman law in raisrestrain trade, except in the ing the price of coal were held in \$3,000 bail each in the Federal District The Gary dinners, the defendance Court here to-day, after making tenta counsel explained, were begun by tive pleas of not guilty. The court

AGED BLANDFORD MAN DISAPPEARS FROM HOME

Friends and Relatives Unable to Find
Trace of Wesley Edwards,
Sixty-Five.

WILL REBUILD CLUBHOUSE

might at the Hotel Petersburg to discuss matters of interest and organize to Dealers' Association.
The water in the Appointation River is falling. The flood never reached a danger point.
Grand and petit jurors have been summoned for the March term of the floodings.

Du Pont Company Expected to Spend \$35,000 to Replace Burned Structure at Hopewell - Petersburg docket. Elks Elect Officers for New Term.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] PETERSBURG, VA. March 9 -- Wesley Edwards, sixty-five years old, who several days ago left his home in Blandford, has not since been heard The first supposition was that he had wandered off into Prince George or Dinwiddle County, but search failed to develop any trace of idm. The fear now is that he may be dead or lying ill somewhere, and great anxisitting in the case. Justices Brandeis what plans would be proposed, but it cty about him is felt by his friends

delegates were elected to the Fourth Congressional District Teachers' As-sociation, which meets at Emporia on March 15 and 16. The delegates are March 15 and 16. The delegates are. Miss Twitty, from the primary department; Miss Mary Sterling Smith, from the grammar grades, and Miss Leonora the grammar grades, the high school.

In opening for the government, Assistant Attorney-General Todd reviewed
the organization and development of the early and later combinations. He the recent competitive examinations.

At the meeting last night of Petersburg Lodge of Odd Fellows, L. B. Andrews was elected representative to the grand lodge, which meets in Brist the carry and later combinations.

To Rebuild Clubbouse

will expend \$35,000 in rebuild-the clubbouse which was practically destroyed by fire several weeks ago, and that the new building will be a great improvement on the old one. The rebuilding of the Young Men's Christian Association home, which was burned on Wednesday moraling, is a matter of doubt

Elks Elect Officers.

Petersburg Lodge of Elks has elected the following officers for the year, and will install them at the first meeting in April: exalted ruler, E. P. Good-wyn: esteemed leading knight, J. R. Jolly: esteemed loyal knight William esteemed lecturing knight, Lamont Lauterbach; tiler, Owen Gilmore, secretary, Louis L. Kidd; 'treasurer, J. Harry Bailey; trustee, D. H. Willeox; lelegate to grand lodge, W. W. Towns alternate, Myer Saal.

D. S. Adams. Boston City Hospital,
Boston.

James Howard, interne in the University Hospital last year passed the haval examination and is now at the Naval Medical School, Washington, Naval Medical School, Washington, Till Church is one of the kandsomest editions in the city silvated and somest

Road Board Meets.
The Road Board of Dinwiddie Counits in one hospital. This was done by met this afternoon in the rooms of two hospitals. Postgraduate and the Chamber of Commerce and considered matters looking to the improvement of the roads in the county, which are said to be in had condition by reason of the rains of last week.

Alming for a Hetter City.

The Young Rusiness Men's Club recently organized is mining for a big-Next Session.

By Associated Press |
WASHINGTON, March 5 - Congress, this end. These propositions are to be

Justice Pitney asked why the government's suit was dismissed by the lower court. Mr. Todd said that the Announcement to that effect was several days at Lakemont Park will

Twenty-five energetic Richard V Lindabury contended that "The dangerous weather this year he sherman law does not prohibit emphasized the necessity for a change."

State gathered in the city to-day, the occasion being an entertainment of the occasion being an entertainment prize winners in the counties. The Beech Nut Packing Company, of New York, offers \$500 in prizes through the J. B. Company of this city, to the boys growing the largest quantity of nuts to the acre, and the visitors today are the prize winners. They were andsomely entertained

> Notes of Interest. Joe Baseo, first baseman of the Ba-

Montague Mfg. Co. S. W. Corner Tenth and Main Sts.

SHOES That Satisfy 85, 85,50, 86, 86,50, 87, 87,50, 88 Ralston Health Shoes 631 East Brond Street.

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to the Jefferson Market and satisfy yourself that whatever is advertised or sold elsewhere it is much cheaper here.

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY Fresh Meat Department.

Hindquarters of Spring Lamb, lb. 22e Porterbouse. Sirloin and Round Steak, lb. 19e Top Sirloin Roast, lb. 18e Stewing Beef, lb. 121e Sugar Cured Corned Beef, lb. 121e Beef Liver, lb. 91ze Our Own Make Trny or Link Sausage, lb. 19e Hog Head Souse, 2 lbs. 20e

Smoked Meats and Butter Department.

Compound, used as lard, 2 lbs. 31e Country Style Smoked Jowl, lb,17 lge Plenie Hams. lb. 17 lge Machine Sliced Bacon, lb. 28c Country Roll Style or Peerless, a high grade Butterine, lb. 20e Mendow Gold Creamery Butter, lb. Butter. Ib. Cloverbluom Creamery Butter-46e All kinds of Dressed Poultry always

Fish Department.

Steak Fish, 1b Spanish Mackerel, 1b Salmon Steak, 1b Croakers, 1b.

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Cheeken Ginlets, in Fresh Country Eggs, only 37 Granulated Sugar, 1b. 84 Not over 10 pounds to customer.

Not over 10 pounds to customer.

Grocery Department.

12-1b. bing Gold Medal Flour. 65e
Bibl., 810,339.

12-1b. bing Best Corn Ment. 38c
3 pkgs. Teco Paneake and Buckwheat. 25e
3 pkgs. Macaroni or Spinghetti 25e
3 Jello (all flavors). 25c
Mixed Vegetables for soupsi
California Linia Beans Pork and Beans in Tomato Sauce
Tall Cans Shad. 25c
Ryron Asparagus, special 26c
Nabob Fish Roc. 18c
Fruit and Vegetable Dents

Fruit and Vegetable Dept; 46e Fruil And Vegetable Dept.

Large Basket Irish Patatoes. AL.

Onlons, quart
Large hasket Sweet Pointoes. 69e
Extra Fancy Beets, bunch. 10e
Garlie, lb.. 15e
Mushrooms, lb. 69e
Sweet Juley Oranges, dozen. 10e
Thin Skin Lemons, dozen. 23e
14e Yavel Oranges, dozen. 23e
18e Fresh Garled Cocanaut, lb. 25e
19e Spanish Chestauts, lb. 1254e
21e Celery, large stalk. 5e

JEFFERSON MARKET, Inc.

1035 WEST BROAD. Phone Randolph 5700 and 5701. Phone Orders Taken and Prompt Deliveries Made. berton, Ohio, team, has been signed for Petersburg. Up to date eight pitchers and catchers, ten infielders and six outfielders have been signed by the local club, out of which a first-class team is expected to be obtained.

The automobile dealers of Petersburg are to meet at a banquet Monday night at the Hotel Petersburg to discuss matters of interest and organize Success of Plan Up to Publishers

Only by Closest Economies Can Price Arbitration by Trade Commission Succeed.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, March 9.—Newsprint-

tlustings Court, which begins next week. There are several felony and a number of liquor cases on the the Federal Trade Commission, will ing the break with Germany, he found The Boy Scouts of Petersburg will mobilize at the Y. M. C. A. under their leaders to-morrow morning for an allsucceed, in the opinion of the commission, only if publishers practice the
secret wireless apparatus, by means of
poral punishment of convicts. mission, only if publishers' practice the secret wireless apparatus, by means of closest economies in the use of paper, which all wireless messages sent in Blank agreement forms sent to-day to this section of the United States could publishers throughout the country in- be received. form them that to benefit by the price- On a careful examination of the Ap-Reaches ixing plan they must not only consent pam, it is said, a fine wire was found

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., March 9.— The steamer Walter D. Noyes, damaged giost urgent needs. several days ago in collision with the The commission expects to go ahead Norwegian bark Alcides, arrived to-say and went to the shipyard for rewith its plans as soon as enough pubpairs. The Noyes has a hole torn in dishers come into the arrangement to the restellation of the vessel, where dynamos taking water through several seams, proposal, as advanced by manufacturers, will be operative for six months, were constantly fired on the vessel, where dynamos were kept running to engender the current of the lighting the ship. Bollers NEWPORT NEWS, VA., March 2.—
The British steamer Crispin arrived here to-day with a tale of weat memthree months, and then if found too the dynamo engines, low, will be readjusted.

Investigation, it is

icased by large publishers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
OLD POINT, VA., March 9.—Mrs.
Francis Bowe Sayre, of Williamstown,
Mass., daughter of President Woodrow Wilson, arrived this morning from Washington, where she has been at the White House attending the inauguration. She is with Miss Blanch Nevin, the aunt of Mr. Sayre, Miss Nevin is the owner and occupies one of the word historical between the court took charge, the United States Court took charge, Messages could be sent and received and the interient was mad the interient the White House attending the inauguration. She is with Miss Blanch Nevin, the aunt of Mr. Sayre. Miss Nevin is the owner and occupies one of the most historical homes in Pennsylvania, "Windsor Forges," which is at Churchtown, Lancaster County.

the place of that in the wireless room, which was put out of commission when the United States Court took charge. Messages could be sent and received and the interinent was made in the family burying ground at the old Scott home. "Black Meadow," now owned by J. T. Sindlinger. Hughes, president of the Union League immediate defense and national service," headed by Robert Bacon, former

SECRET WIRELESS SYSTEM DISCOVERED ABOARD APPAM Governor Relieves Convict Guard of Road Term and Substitutes

Berg Reported to Have Had Access to All Messages in Vicinity of

learned to-day on reliable authority that when United States Marshall Saunders boarded the Appam with his' paper-price arbitration, undertaken by the United States government, follow-

o relinquish 5 per cent of their paper requirements, but must agree to discontinue return privileges, and must whistle on the smokestack of the Apony additional paper only to meet the pam and extending above it, as do less. The wire led down to the inturers, will be operative for six months, were constantly fired on the Appam at The commission has set a price of all times in order to furnish steam \$2.50, but in its notice to publishers for heating the vessel and other pursays this price will be tried first for poses. Power was thus secured for Investigation, it is said, led to the

a tale of what mem. low, will be readjusted.

To insure that small publishers get discovery that the wire finally ran to the experience. The paper, the commission is working on the private room occupied by Licutenbers of the crew termed the worst weather of their experience. The steamer was several days overdue and a plan under which manufacturers was buffeted by storms the greater part of the voyage from Earry.

To insure that small publishers get discovery that the wire finally ran to the private room occupied by Lieuten-ant Hans Berg by flash from an electric light bulb. This is similar to the part of the voyage from Earry. method followed by the battleships at sea, when they flash signals to each the flashes in Licutenant Berg's light being similar to the dots and dashes of the Morse system.

Injestigation this afternoon de-

SENTENCE COMMUTED

All Messages in Vicinity of Hampton Roads.

I Ry Associated Press. 1
NORFOLK, VA., March 9.—It was carned to-day on reliable authority hat when United States Marshal Governor Bickett to a \$25 fine Investigation convinced the Governor that there was a "frame-up" against Mincher by witnesses, and that Minout instructions of the Lenoir commis

WILSON THANKS COUNCIL

President Expresses Appreciation of Support Assured Him by Danville City Fathers.

Special to The Times-Dispatch. DANVILLE, VA., March 3. The City Council of Danville is in receipt of a Council of Danville is in receipt of a printed card sent out by President Wilson thanking that body for its congratulatory telegram sort several days ago. The message reads:

"The White House,

Washington, D. C.

"The President is very grateful for the generous message of confidence and approbation which you sent him, and he wishes to express his require ap-preciation of your support."

Rice—Sanderson.

ISpecial to The Times-Dispatch.!

DANVILLE, VA. March 9.—A marriage license was issued here vesteruay to Roger Mills Rice, son of T. J.
Rice, of Lynchburg, and Misz Etnet
Pauline Sanderson, a trained nurse,
whose home is at Salem Va. The mar-

Funeral of Mrs. Scott.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] GORDONSVILLE, VA. March 2.—The remains of Mrs. J. Wickliff Scott, who died in Richmond on Thursday, were brought here for interment. The fu-



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